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FOR MATTHEW NIMETZ, COUNSELOR, DEPT OF STATE ONLY

E.O. 11652:

TAGS: PFOR

SUBJECT: ODDS AND ENDS

FROM C STAFF

1. IRISH MEMO WENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE UNCHANGED. IRA TALKED TO PARKER WHO IS PLEASED. EUR WILL CALL IN THE BRITISH AND IRISH ON FRIDAY.
2. FACE-TO-FACE PROGRAM LAST NIGHT WAS VERY GOOD. SOME ATTENDEES GOT QUITE EMOTIONAL. LUERS HAD THE MOST REASON-ABLE AND WELL-FOUNDED COMMENTS, BUT NO ONE PURSUED HIS THOUGHTS. THE PROFESSOR'S PRESENTATION WAS EXACTLY THE SAME AS IN YOUR OFFICE.
3. TURKISH REACTION TO CLIFFORD PRESS CONFERENCE. TURKISH GOVERNMENT AND DENKTASH ARE EXPRESSING OUTRAGE AT  
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US AND UK RECOGNITION DECISIONS. WE SENT CABLE TO AREA POSTS CONFIRMING CLIFFORD'S STATEMENT AND EXPLAINING ITS LEGAL CORRECTNESS. WITHOUT ORGANIZING CAMPAIGN WE ARE IN CONTACT WITH FRG AND OTHERS TO HARMONIZE OUR RECOGNITION POLICIES. DENKTASH IS ALSO EXPRESSING IRE AND HURT THAT "CLIFFORD HAD SECRET CONTACTS AND MADE SECRET DEALS WITH MAKARIOS". IN THIS REGARD WHAT IS YOUR OPINION OF COURSE

OF ACTION DESCRIBED IN NICOSIA 2112 WHICH I HAVE REPEATED  
TO YOU?

5. VEST DISCUSSED NAMSA WITH SIENA AND CONVINCED HIM THAT  
THE CONGRESSMEN HAD FELT DOD WAS PROVIDING AN EVASIVE BRIEF  
LAST WEEK. SIENA WILL TRY TO CLEAR THIS UP AND WIN  
ACCEPTANCE FROM GROUP FOR PLAN INVOLVING ONLY ORDERS  
PLACED FROM THE DAY WE FORMALLY NOTIFY NAMSA OF THE NEW  
PROCEDURES. TURKEY WOULD BE NOTIFIED AT SAME TIME.  
VEST UNDERTOOK TO ATTEMPT TO SELL THIS APPROACH IF HE  
RECEIVES QUERIES OR COMPLAINTS FROM THE GROUP THOUGH HE  
SERIOUSLY DOUBTS THEY WILL ACCEPT IT.

6. AMBASSADOR SHERER BRIEFED NSC AND LARGE IN HOUSE  
ROUND TABLE TODAY IN SEPARATE ENCOUNTERS. HIS PERFORMANCE  
WAS REASSURING AND SPENCER OLIVER SUPPORTED HIM AT  
SEVERAL KEY MOMENTS. CHRISTOPHER

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